

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Withdrawn): A pharmaceutical composition, for treating rosacea comprising idrocilamide.

Claim 2 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating at least one stage of rosacea.

Claim 3 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the first stage of rosacea.

Claim 4 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the second stage of rosacea.

Claim 5 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the third stage of rosacea.

Claim 6 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is for treating the fourth stage of rosacea.

Claim 7 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition comprises from about 0.0001% to 20% by weight of idrocilamide.

Claim 8 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises an active agent selected from the group consisting of

antibiotics, antibacterial agents, antiviral agents, antiparasitic agents, antifungal agents, anaesthetics, analgesics, antiallergic agents, retinoids, free-radical scavengers, anti-pruriginous agents, keratolytic agents, anti-seborrhoeic agents, antihistamines, sulfides, immunosuppressant products and antiproliferative agents.

Claim 9 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises metronidazole.

Claim 10 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises an additive selected from the group consisting of sequestrants, antioxidants, sunscreens, preserving agents, fillers, electrolytes, humectants, dyes, common mineral or organic acids or bases, fragrances, essential oils, cosmetic active agents, moisturizers, vitamins, essential fatty acids, sphingolipids, self-tanning compounds, skin calmativ and protective agents, pro-penetrating agents and gelling agents, and mixtures thereof.

Claim 11 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises one or more wetting liquid surfactants.

Claim 12 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition comprises from about 0.001% to 10% by weight of idroclamide.

Claim 13 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition comprises from about 0.1% to 5% by weight of idroclamide.

Claim 14 (Withdrawn): The composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is in the form of aqueous, aqueous-alcoholic or oily solutions, dispersions of the lotion or serum type, aqueous, anhydrous or lipophilic gels, emulsions of liquid or semi-liquid consistency of the milk type, obtained by dispersing a fatty phase in an aqueous phase (O/W) or, conversely, (W/O), or suspensions or emulsions of soft, semi-solid or solid consistency of the cream, gel or ointment type, or alternatively ionic and/or nonionic microemulsions, microcapsules, microparticles or vesicular dispersions.

Claim 15 (Withdrawn): A topical dermatological composition for treating rosacea comprising idrocilamide.

Claim 16 (Currently amended): A method for treating rosacea comprising applying topically to skin a pharmaceutical composition comprising idrocilamide,
wherein the applying the composition comprises treating at least one of a first stage and a second stage of rosacea.

Claim 17 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the applying the composition ~~is for~~ further comprises treating at least one of ~~four stages~~ a third stage and a fourth stage of rosacea.

Claims 18-19 (Canceled).

Claim 20 (Currently amended): The method for treating rosacea according to claim ~~[[16]]~~ 17, wherein the at least one of ~~four stages~~ a third stage and a fourth stage of rosacea is the third stage of rosacea.

Claim 21 (Currently amended): The method for treating rosacea according to claim [[16]] 17, wherein the at least one of ~~four stages~~ a third stage and a fourth stage of rosacea is the fourth stage of rosacea.

Claim 22 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein a % by weight of the idrocilamide in the pharmaceutical composition is from about 0.0001% to 20% by weight.

Claim 23 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 22, wherein the % by weight of the idrocilamide in the pharmaceutical composition is from about 0.001% to 10% by weight.

Claim 24 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 23, wherein the % by weight of the idrocilamide in the pharmaceutical composition is from about 0.1% to 5% by weight.

Claim 25 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition further comprises an additive selected from the group consisting of sequestrants, antioxidants, sunscreens, preserving agents, fillers, electrolytes, humectants, dyes, common mineral or organic acids or bases, fragrances, essential oils, cosmetic active agents, moisturizers, vitamins, essential fatty acids, sphingolipids, self-tanning compounds, skin calmative and protective agents, pro-penetrating agents and gelling agents, and mixtures thereof.

Claim 26 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition further comprises one or more wetting liquid surfactants.

Claim 27 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition comprising idrocilamide is in a form selected from the group consisting of an aqueous, aqueous-alcoholic or oily solution, a lotion or serum dispersion, an aqueous, anhydrous or lipophilic gel, an emulsion of liquid or semi-liquid consistency, a cream, gel or ointment suspension or emulsion of a soft, semi-solid or solid consistency, an ionic and/or nonionic microemulsion, microcapsule, microparticle and vesicular dispersion.

Claim 28 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition is a topical dermatological composition.

Claim 29 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition further comprises an active agent selected from the group consisting of an antibiotic, an antibacterial agent, an antiviral agent, an antiparasitic agent, an antifungal agent, an anaesthetic, an analgesic, an antiallergic agent, a retinoid, a free-radical scavenger, an anti-pruriginous agent, a keratolytic agent, an anti-seborrhoeic agent, an antihistamine, a sulfide, an immunosuppressant product and an antiproliferative agent.

Claim 30 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition further comprises metronidazole.

Claim 31 (Previously presented): The method for treating rosacea according to claim 16, wherein the pharmaceutical composition further comprises an additive selected from the group consisting of a sequestrant, an antioxidant, a sunscreen, a preserving agent, a filler, an electrolyte, a humectant, a dye, a common mineral, a organic acid or base, a fragrance, an essential oil, a cosmetic active agent, a moisturizer, a vitamin, an essential fatty acid, a sphingolipid, a self-tanning compound, a skin calmativ and protective agent, a pro-penetrating agent, a gelling agent, and mixtures thereof.